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Weather Forecast.—Friday, occasional showers and thunderstorms.

# FRIDAY—REMNANT DAY

It's the last of the remnant days before inventory taking, and it's going to be a memorable one.

Every department manager in the house has put his best foot forward to clean out as much as possible of this season's goods before July 31st. To do this, sacrifices have to be made in prices; so come in Friday morning expecting bargains all over the store and you'll not be in any way disappointed.

## Every Bathing Suit We Have

### In Stock Reduced To-Day.

We have more Bathing Suits on hand than we care to have at this time in the season.

The summer has been a cool one, with the exception of the tropic weather of last week, and we haven't sold as many bathing suits as we expected to.

It's a case now of sacrificing them or holding until next year.

We're going to sell every one of them at once if cutting prices will do it.

It is always a mistake for a woman to depend upon renting a bathing suit when she gets to the seashore, and it's doubly so now when you can get one of ours at the following prices:

\$2.50 All-Wool Bathing Suits for	\$1.50
\$3.00 Suits for	\$1.98
\$3.98 Suits for	\$2.50
\$4.25 Suits for	\$2.98
\$5.00 Suits for	\$3.98
\$5.98 Suits for	\$5.00

## 49c. Striped Mousseline de Soie for 19c. Yard.

Friday morning we will place on sale in our Silk Department, about 400 yards of Dotted and Striped Mousseline de Soie, that sold early in the season for 35c and 49c per yard, the colors are old rose, Nile green, reseda violet, cardinal, tan, mink yellow and navy, all to go in this sale for 19c yard.

(This last July Remnant Sale will also show an unusually large amount of short pieces, odd lengths, remnants, etc., as our department people have been diligent this week gathering everything together for the regular summer stock-taking.)

## Remnants in White and Wash Goods.

Everything bearing a remnant ticket will be sold

### At Half the Regular Prices.

(Main Floor, Right Aisle.)

#### White Goods.

India Linen,  
Persian Lawn,  
English Madras,  
Long Cloths,  
English Nainsook,  
French Organdies,  
French Batiste.

#### Wash Goods.

Organdie Superb,  
Embroidered Swiss,  
Paris Mousseline,  
Holy Batiste,  
Given Dimities,  
Imperial Dotted Swiss,  
Solid Color Etamines.

## Lining Remnants at Half Prices.

(Main Floor, Left Aisle.)

Cambrics, Percales, Silesias, Book Muslin, Canvas and Mercerized Satens.

## Wash Goods Specials for Friday

(First Floor.)

We've arranged two special tables for a lot of these fabrics for Friday's sale.

Table No. 1—Everything 7c, contains all 10c Wash Goods, reduced to 7c.

Table No. 2—Everything 12½c. The greater portion of these fabrics sold for 25c.

In addition to these two tables, we have two other special items in the same department—

A Crash Skirting, either plain or striped, that sold for 10c to 12½c, reduced now to 7c.

A fine Batiste for 5c, all light grounds, in dots, stripes and figures.

## What Stock-Taking Does

### for Muslin Underwear Prices

will be hinted at in the list below. We don't "slash right and left regardless of cost." Talking that way is not only foolish, but untrue. We have, though, made reductions on garments that in many cases brings the prices to cost and below to clear up stocks before the end of the month.

#### Gowns.

Gowns of nainsook, full length and width, chemise style, low neck, short sleeves, trimmed with hemstitching, 75c.

Chemise Gowns of nainsook and cambric, trimmed with hemstitching, price \$1.00.

#### Corset Covers.

Corset Covers of cambric, with tucked front, low neck, trimmed with Val lace, 25c.

Corset Covers, trimmed with torchon lace and insertion, full front, of fine cambric, special 39c.

#### Skirts.

Skirts of cambric, with tucked ruffle, trimmed with torchon lace and dust ruffle, 50c.

One lot of Gowns, Skirts and Drawers, slightly soiled, at greatly reduced prices.

One lot of Infants' and Children's Dresses, 50c and 75c, reduced to 39c and 50c.

## Domestics at Friday Prices.

(Basement.)

Two noticeable things about the domestic items to-day. One is the assortment and the other is the very low prices.

Prices are always moderate in this department, but inventory has pushed them lower yet to-day.

6½c Unbleached Jeans, fine twill, for 3½c.

6½c Bleached Cotton for 5c.

10c Bleached Jeans for 8½c.

12½c Pillow Case for 10c.

20c Unbleached sheeting for 16c.

12½c Pillow Cases for 10c.

Single Bed Sheets for 39c.

Medium Size Bed Sheets for 45c.

Double Bed Sheets for 50c.

One lot of Maids' Caps, were 25c and 35c, slightly soiled, reduced to 10c.

Children's Drawers, umbrella style, trimmed with insertion, all sizes, price 19c.

Children's Gowns, with tucked yoke, trimmed with cambric ruffle, price 25c.

Children's Gowns of cambric, trimmed with insertion and cambric ruffle on neck and sleeves, 39c.

Children's Hats, \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.50, reduced to 50c and 98c.

Made of silk mill, trimmed with velvet ribbon flowers and a gregg; colors pink, white, blue and red. Just a few left at 50c and 98c.

One lot of Ladies' Hose Supporters, white, pink, light blue, black and lavender, 75c, reduced to 50c. These are for the straight corsets and made of silk, good elastic, 50c.

Basement.  
Dimities and Batiste,  
navy blue with white  
figures, that sold at  
12½c in full pieces, now  
5c.

Toilet Sets, containing  
10 pieces, new shape and  
neat decorations, \$2.00  
per set.

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## HIGH OFFICIALS SAIL FOR PARIS

Root, Porter and Wood Left To-Day—Ambassadors' Praise.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, July 24.—General Horace Porter, United States Ambassador to France; Secretary of War Elihu Root, and General Leonard Wood sailed on La Savoy to-day for France.

General Porter just before going on board the steamship said:

"I leave America with very many regrets, after having revelled in the enjoyment of meeting hosts of old friends and viewing nearby the matchless progress of our marvellous prosperous country. I speak of it thus not in a spirit of boasting, but of thanksgiving. In a few short years it has been raised to the proud position of a world power and its place among the nations and its influence abroad have been so altered that every American must feel the change. We have shown the world that we can be progressive without being aggressive, and that, while we have a just confidence in our strength, the spirit of our people and our vast commercial interests give an ample guaranty that our example and our efforts will always be in the direction of doing justice to others and being one of the most prominent factors in preserving the world's peace. There has never been a period in our history when the wise and statesmanlike statesmen displayed at Washington has been more admired and respected by foreign powers."

"A new cabinet has come into power in France; since I left Paris I am very glad that the eminent statesman, M. Delcasse, remains as Minister of Foreign Affairs. He has during his long and successful career in that important place gained the respect and esteem of all diplomats who have come into official relations with him."

"Secretary Root is going with me on a short trip to Europe. I know of no one who better deserves a respite from his arduous labors, or who will be better received abroad, where a knowledge of his high and well-merited reputation will have preceded him. He is the earnest of this administration, the organizer of victory. But, then, I am such an enthusiast of his, that I cannot speak of him without running into an eulogy, and he needs no eulogist."

Corsets that sold from \$1.00 to \$7.50 now priced from 79c to \$3.98.

Above all, don't forget our Summer Girdles at 50c, boned with steel. They've been just the thing this summer.

## Summer Underwear Prices for Inventory Week.

Inventory prices, but regular values.

When we buy underwear, our first inquiry is: Is it a reliable garment? Will it wear well? The price is a secondary consideration.

That's why our light weight underwear this season is the best you can purchase anywhere.

Ladies' Vests, tape neck and arm, slightly imperfect, regular 10c kind, for 7c.

Ladies' Vests, low neck and sleeveless, 12½c.

Ladies' Vests, in pink, blue and black, 15c.

Ladies' Fancy and Plain Lisle Thread Vests, 25c.

Ladies' Gauze Vests, high neck and short sleeve, slightly imperfect, 15c.

Ladies' Summer Ribbed Drawers, knee and ankle length, 25c and 50c.

Children's Vests, low neck and sleeveless, 10c.

Infants' Vests, low neck and sleeveless, 12½c.

Misses' Vests, in plain and lace trimmings, 25c.

Boys' Balbriggan Vests and Drawers, all sizes, 25c.

E Z Waists, for boys and girls 25c.

## \$2.00 Bed Spreads for \$1.19.

Why? Well, they're a little bit soiled and there's only 15 left, and we want to sell them all in a few days.

12-4 size heavy Crochet, in Mar-seilles designs, with hard tied fringe. You'll get a nice bed spread if you buy one of them.

Ten Fringed 11-4 Spreads for 75c; worth \$1.25.

Fifty cents saved means considerable if you need something else.

## Tapestry and Chenille Portieres

At \$2.50, \$2.98 and \$3.98 Per Pair

Told you about them the other day, you know. They're sample lines we picked up in New York a couple of weeks ago and valued up to \$6.00 per pair.

All colors in the lot, but only one pair of each kind.

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## Lace Curtains for \$1.50.

It's less than half price on some of them.

We have just bunched three lots into one for this sale.

Curtains that sold at \$4.00, \$3.00 and \$2.50 are all marked at \$1.50, just to get them out before inventory, so we can start on the fall trade next month with clear shelves.

Some of these curtains are slightly soiled, but you can easily remedy that. There's only one pair of a kind in some patterns; others two and three pair.

## Inventory Prices in the China Department.

The basement people are busy folks this week going through their merchandise. Here's a few of the many things they have for you:

Dinner sets, containing 100 pieces, richly decorated and gold traced, special price \$9.50 per set.

Plates, dinner size and tea size, decorated and gold traced, fine quality, real value \$1.50 and \$1.75 per dozen, Friday's price 10c each.

Covered Dishes, richly decorated in several styles, real value \$1.00, inventory price 59c each.

\$1.00 Chocolate Pots, Friday 50c each.

\$1.00 Bowls and Pitchers, roll edge basin, plain white, 69c.

Extra large Soup Jars, plain white, 89c each.

Pig Iron Advances.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 24.—It is stated that the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company, the largest producer of pig iron in the South, is taking orders at \$17 a ton for pig iron, No. 2 foundry, Birmingham, for delivery in 1903. This is an advance of \$5 a ton over the price fixed for this class of iron for the current year. It is pointed out that some Southern iron has already been sold for next year's delivery at as high as \$18 a ton.

## MISS JOEL RICHES WEDS PETER MARTIN

Brilliant Society Event Leads Entertainment to Summer Colony at Newport.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEWPORT, R. I., July 24.—Miss Lillie Riches, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riches, of New York, and Peter Martin, of New York, were married to-day in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Deane, the church, which was elaborately decorated with flowers and palms, was filled with guests, representing the wealth of Newport's summer colony.

The groom was attended by his brother, Henry R. Martin. Preceding the bride, the altar was the ushers, Charles DeL. Oelrichs and Henry Oelrichs, brothers of the bride; Frederick Givemeyer, Philip Lynde, Lawrence McCree and Frank Lynde. Then came the matrons of honor, Mrs. Henry O. Havemeyer and Mrs. Cameron McCree Winslow, followed by the bridesmaids, Miss Eleanor J. J. and Miss Isabelle May, and by the maid of honor, Miss Blanche Oelrichs, a younger sister of the bride. The wedding party, including the bridesmaids and the groom, were ready for the ceremony at 3:30 P. M. Also, Pullman Sleeper between New York and Newport, leaving New York at 3:30 P. M. and 4:30 P. M. Office—No. 328 Main Street.

## RIVERS AND HARBORS

Some Estimates as to the Needs in Virginia.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 24.—The chief of engineers to-day received several annual reports of officers in charge of river and harbor improvements, making estimates for the fiscal year 1903.

Major James B. Quinn submits the following for the Norfolk (Va.) district: Harbor at Norfolk and its approaches, \$240,731; Improvement of Hampton Roads, Va., \$215,000; Appomattox River, Va., \$185,000; Harbor at Cape Charles City, Va., \$40,000.

## Cabinet Resigns.

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, July 24.—A dispatch to the Central News from Belgrade, Serbia, says the Cabinet has resigned owing to the defeat of the government in the election for a president of the Skupstina National Assembly.

## Received by Pope.

(By Associated Press.)  
ROME, July 24.—The Pope received the American pilgrims, headed by the Very Rev. E. H. Porcile, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and a number of other American tourists in Clementine Hall to-day. The party aggregated 260 persons.

## Kennedy Nominated.

(By Associated Press.)  
SALEM, July 24.—The Republicans of the Eighteenth District to-day nominated James Kennedy on the 28th ballot for Congress to succeed Hon. R. W. Thurston, who recently announced his withdrawal as a candidate.

## MONASTERY BURNED

Ninety Monks All Escaped—Splendid Building Gone.

(By Associated Press.)  
OKA, QUE., July 24.—The celebrated monastery of the Trappists here was destroyed by fire last night. Loss estimated at \$100,000. There were ninety-seven monks in the monastery, all of whom escaped. Ten thousand gallons of cider and four thousand gallons of wine were destroyed.

The fire, the origin of which is unknown, destroyed every vestige of the magnificent building which required many years to build. Two monks, Brother Seraphin, who is blind, and another who is suffering from consumption, were rescued from the top floor by priests at the risk of their lives. It is feared that they will die.

## CARS PILED UP

Engineer Saw Obstruction on Track Too Late to Stop Train.

(By Associated Press.)  
BRIDGEVILLE, DEL., July 24.—A piece of rail placed on the tracks of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad, near Nassau, wrecked a freight train.

The engine driver saw the obstruction too late to stop. His through train, carrying a load of coal, was wrecked, and four cars were piled on top of it. John Trader, the engine driver, was seriously injured.

The police believe the rail was placed on the tracks by tramps who have been compelled to get off freight trains.

## DOWN WITH ANARCHY

This the Battle Cry of the Venezuelan President.

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, July 24.—The text of a ringing proclamation, issued on July 5th, the independence day of Venezuela, by President Castro, has just been received in Washington. The proclamation was published on the eve of the President's departure from the United States. It was a stirring appeal to his countrymen to support him in his purpose to crush the anarchy which has grown so formidable recently. He says:

"Anarchy has struck deep its claws into the bowels of our country, but I will fight that anarchy in the coils of my energy."

## NOT TO CHRISTEN DES MOINES

Miss West Has Been Chosen, but Has to Decline

(By Associated Press.)  
DES MOINES, Iowa, July 24.—Miss Frances West, Des Moines, who was selected by former Governor Shaw to christen the new cruiser Des Moines, which is to be launched September 20th, notified the Navy Department that it would be impossible for her to be present at the launching of the vessel. She will visit Minister and Mrs. Conger for several months. Governor Cummings will name her successor.

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## MERCHANTS AND MINERS

Transportation Co., STEAMSHIP LINE.

Direct Route to Boston, Mass., and Providence, R.I.

Steamers leave Norfolk for Boston Tuesday and Wednesday and Sunday. For Providence Monday, Thursday and Saturday at 6 P. M. Accommodations and cuisine unsurpassed. Freight rates and tickets taken for New England points. Tickets on sale at C. & O. and N. & W. Railway offices and No. 303 East Main Street.

## RICHMOND AND PETERSBURG ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Beginning April 1st, 1902.

Cars leave corner of Perry and Seventh Streets, Manchester, every hour (on the hour) from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M. Cars leave for Petersburg, foot of Sycamore Street, every hour from 6:30 A. M. to 10:30 P. M.

FRIDAY AND SUNDAY SPECIAL EXCURSIONS.

50 Cents Round Trip—50 Cents

## TRANSPORTATION LINES

LEAVE RICHMOND FOR PETERSBURG, VIA RAILROAD.

9:00 A. M. N. & W. LIMITED. Arrives Norfolk 11:20 A. M. Stops only at Petersburg, Waverly and Suffolk.

8:45 A. M. THE CHICAGO EXPRESS for Chicago, St. Louis, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland, Buffalo, Albany, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and other points.

1:10 P. M. THE OCEAN EXPRESS for Farmville, Lynchburg, Charlottesville, Staunton, Lexington, and other points.

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